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Ms. Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary Federal Communications Commission 445 12th Street SW Washington, DC 20554

Re: Comment Deadlines Established Regarding the LightSquared Technical Working Group Report, IB Docket No. 11-109

Dear Ms. Dortch:

I am a rural Maryland resident and I commute daily to downtown Baltimore for work.

I am writing to seek your support for increased access to wireless cell phone coverage. Currently, my wireless coverage works well in the metropolitan areas. Coverage deteriorates greatly when I leave the metropolitan areas and get closer to home however.

LightSquared Inc. is working to build a wireless communication network that will expand wireless broadband access beyond the metropolitan regions and provide very competitive rates for all Americans. Please allow science to lead us through the innovation that increased wireless access allows us.

Please support our efforts to remain in contact while living in, working in, or travelling through rural parts of Maryland. Allow LightSquared to proceed with its amended deployment.

Very truly yours,

Melanie Lamar